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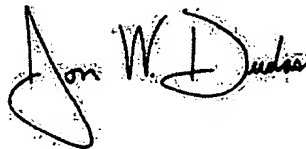
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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 3, Line 15	Insert --/-- between " $(P^2-2P+1)$ " and " $P^2$ "
Column 3, Line 43	Delete " $=3$ " and insert $-- \approx --$ after "or"
Column 3, Line 52	Delete " $>$ " and insert $-- \geq --$
Column 3, Line 64	After "wherein" delete " $M \leq 2$ " and insert $--M \geq 2--$
Column 5, Line 10	After second occurrence of "for" delete " $M \geq 3$ " and insert $--M > 3--$
Column 6, Line 11	Insert $--;--$ after "system"
Column 7, Line 46	Delete "results" and insert $--result,--$
Column 8, Line 8	Equation 7 -- Delete "," after "..." and insert $--i--$
Column 9, Line 66	Delete " $D_{min}$ " and insert $--D_{min}--$
Column 9, Line 67	Delete "to" after "not"
Column 10, Line 36	Delete "obtain" and insert $--obtained--$
Column 13, Line 55	Insert $--to--$ after "response"
Column 14, Line 33	Delete second "P;" at end of equation
Column 19, Line 40	Insert $--to--$ after "response"
Column 23, Line 62	Delete "[[:]]" at end of line

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